

WEATHER: For Kentucky
Saturday, fair, colder

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EDITORIAL COMMENT.

Dayid Lloyd-George is a self-made little man with a big brain, and a born fighter.

Turkeys on the local market are back to 20 cents a pound, it is said for a short time only.

Rural carriers in Kentucky are to get \$55,000 for back pay allowed for 1915.

Thirteen and Friday figure conspicuously in the career of President Wilson. There are—

Thirteen Letters in His Name—Woodrow Wilson.

Thirteen Letters in His Father's Name—Joseph R. Wilson.

Thirteen Letters in His Mother's Name—Jesse Woodrow.

He was nominated in 1912, which figures added make 13.

Was inaugurated in the year 1913.

Won his election as the result of obtaining California's 13 votes.

BURIED IN
BOWLING GREEN

Mother of Mrs. George E. Gary Died Thursday Morning.

Mrs. Eliza Belle Hardin, widow of J. M. Hardin, died at the home of her son-in-law, Geo. E. Gary, in this city, at 6:15 a. m. Thursday, Dec. 7th. She was born August 4, 1848, at Woodburn, Warren county, Ky. For several years she had made her home with her only daughter, Mrs. Gary, in this city. Other relatives are two grand-children and four nieces who reside in Bowling Green, Nashville and Woodburn.

Mrs. Hardin was a member of the Methodist church. Her body was taken to Bowling Green yesterday morning and was buried in the cemetery there at 11 a. m. Mr. and Mrs. Gary and their two daughters, Mrs. A. B. Anderson, of Nashville, and Miss Addie Belle Gary, accompanied the remains to Bowling Green.

The local pall-bearers were M. C. Forbes, Frank Rives, Dr. T. W. Blakey, Robert Embry, J. A. Brown, Jr., Ira L. Smith and R. E. Cooper.

TIME PIECE

Said to Have Been Worn by Jesse James, the Outlaw.

On display at Hardwick's jewelry store is a gold watch that is said to have been worn for years by Jesse James, the outlaw, and to have been in his pocket when he was killed. The watch is now the property of Harry Ray, of Owensboro. The time piece is a solid 18k case, with a fine movement and is still in perfect condition. The watch is said to have been taken from Judge R. H. Roundtree shortly after the Russellville bank robbery. A stage coach on which Judge Roundtree was a passenger bound for Mammoth Cave was held up and the watch taken at that time.

Killed Her Baby.

Danville, Ky., Dec. 8.—Officers are looking for a neatly dressed young woman who is supposed to have arrived here on a train from Cincinnati Sunday night. At a lonely spot between Lexington and Williamstown passengers observed the woman throw a bundle out of a window, which aroused their suspicion. Investigation later showed that it was a baby weighing 7 pounds that was evidently killed by the fall.

Millions Represented.

St. Louis, Dec. 8.—The third quadrennial convention of the Federal Council of Church of Christ in America opened here today. Approximately 500 delegates, representing 18,000,000 communicants of thirty Protestant churches, are attending.

Ideographs preceded alphabets.

MYSTERY IS
UNSOLVED

Frank Smith Who Knows Most Has Left Cerulean and Was Not Found.

MANY WITNESSES HEARD

Katherine Denton's Motive For Seven-Mile Walk Not Made Clear.

Frank Smith, the Cerulean Springs liveryman, who was expected to be the chief witness in the court of inquiry into the death of the woman known as Katherine Denton, was not found when a summons was sent to Cerulean for him Wednesday. It was returned "not found."

Smith has all along been increasingly reticent, as one by one the facts have come to light.

The strange woman went to Cerulean on the 5:40 a. m. train and sought out Smith, who brought her back in a buggy 16 miles to this city, and she went to a hotel near the depot at 11:30 and soon after the noon hour deposited \$8 with the landlord and left on foot. She went out on the Princeton road and was 6 or 7 miles from Hopkinsville when Smith passed going towards Cerulean. They greeted each other with a familiar "hello!" and Smith held a conversation with the woman. He drove on some distance further with Elizabeth Ricketts, a little school girl whom he was giving a ride, and put her out at her home and drove on in the same direction. The woman came some distance towards town and stopped at the school house, which was an old building off the main road a little way. It had an old stove without a pipe to it. Smith returned to Cerulean about 6 o'clock. Beyond this point he says nothing. It is reported from Cerulean that he left home after 6 o'clock and did not get home again until about daylight the next morning.

The school house burned between 3:30 and 4 a. m. The woman appeared at the forks of the road, 4 or 5 miles towards the city, about daylight.

One set of fresh buggy tracks led up to the school house and another led away.

The court of inquiry met at 10 o'clock, Judge Knight presiding and County Attorney Smith representing the commonwealth.

Mail Carrier Tom Williamson stated that he met the woman near Brick church in buggy with Frank Smith, morning of 28th. Described her and her clothing.

Lieut. Hawkins told of meeting her at midnight train and taking her to Hotel Main and Landlord C. L. Tyler said she took a room from 1 a. m. to 5 a. m., and left on early train. Both described her in detail. Only baggage was a shoe box wrapped in paper. She seemed intelligent and normal. Lieut. Hawkins told of his going to Cerulean to see Smith who

told him his man Guthrie had notified him a woman was at the depot and wanted to see him. He found her there and she said her name was Denton and wanted to come to Hopkinsville and he brought her in a buggy, leading a mule. Smith admitted the subsequent meeting on the road, seemed worried and talked but little. Lige Ricketts said he saw the tracks of a rubber tired buggy and horse tracks going into the west side of the school lot and out on the west side.

W. L. Buie said he met Frank Smith about 9:15 a. m. with a woman, 10 miles from Hopkinsville. Had his arm behind her on the back of the buggy and was leaning forward in earnest conversation. Straightened up when he saw him. Came back from towards Cerulean about dark but didn't meet Smith returning. Didn't know the woman.

Elmer P. Pool said he saw a resemblance of the woman, now dead, to Cora Reese, a young woman he knew 15 years ago, but couldn't definitely identify her.

J. L. Freedman told of the woman being at the Hill House and described her. Also talked to her at the Hospital. Was same woman.

George Wortham, Henry McReynolds, col., and Les Harris, col., who lived near the burned house were the first to get there. The fire was about 3:30 a. m. The house had not fallen in when Mr. Wortham arrived. No one was there. After daylight witnesses saw the fresh buggy tracks. Buggy had left before they arrived. Horse had been hitched to a tree behind the house.

Little Elizabeth Ricketts, aged 9, said Mr. Smith was letting her ride home from school and they met a woman with a red cloak, black hat and eye glasses on. Mr. Smith stopped and asked what she was doing out there and she said she was taking a walk. He asked her if she got that letter. She said no. As he drove off she waved goodbye with her hand. She was on side next to her. They had no talk that she didn't hear.

Mrs. Wanda Williams and Mrs. W. L. Smith, a nurse, told of the woman's being at the Hospital. Mrs. Smith described her burns, which were worst on her back and about her armpits. One foot had three cut places and the other one on the soles. One place on her forehead looked like it might not have been a burn. Woman said she took off her shoes and glasses to lie down. When questioned as to why her hair was not burned, she said she had on her hat and later said she was sitting up. She was received at 10 a. m. 29th and died 4:15 a. m. Nov. 30th.

L. W. Means told of steel articles recovered from the ruins of the house, corset staves, hat wire, purse rim, spectacle rims and hose supporters. Also told of buggy tracks.

Harry Campbell said Smith brought a suit of clothes to his tailor shop at 1 p. m. and returned at 2 to get them. Changed his coat and later came back looking for a letter and not finding it said "That d—d woman must have got that letter."

An adjournment was taken for dinner and several other witnesses were examined. Two other nurses from the Hospital and witnesses who saw Smith and the woman on the Princeton road testified, but told nothing new. One new fact came out. Bob

ANOTHER BIG
DEAL MADE

Is Consummated in the Tobacco Market at Owensboro.

2,000,000 LB. POOL SOLD

Prices Range as High as \$13 For Good Leaf—Trash For \$7.

Owensboro, Ky., Dec. 8.—Another big tobacco deal was consummated in Owensboro on Tuesday afternoon when the American Co-operative Association, acting as agent, sold the entire pool of the American Society of Equity to G. O. Tuck & Co., of Louisville, for the following prices:

First Grade—Leaf, \$13; lugs, \$10.

Second Grade—Leaf, \$10.50; lugs, \$9.

Third Grade—Leaf, \$9; lugs, \$8.50.

Fourth Grade—Leaf, \$8; lugs, \$8.

Fifth Grade—Leaf, \$7; lugs, \$7.50.

All the trash sold for \$7.

Three million pounds of tobacco was in the pool, and came from Daviess, Ohio and McLean counties. The price is a slight advance over that received by the Farmers' Co-operative Association, being 50 cents more on the 100 pounds for the top grade of leaf, and 50 cents higher on the 100 pounds of trash. In fact, this is the highest price any pooled tobacco ever sold for in this district.

Withers said his horse shied at the form of a naked person he met in the road near the forks of the road, before daylight. After passing saw what it was and thought it was a ghost.

H. L. Harton, who brought the woman to the hospital, told of statements she made to him. She said her name was Katherine Denton and she came here from Evansville and had lived in St. Louis. She said her parents were dead and she had no friends she cared to notify. Said she thought she would get well and would return money paid for hospital expenses as soon as she could get to work. Said she did light office work and house work. Told him of leaving \$8 with Mr. Freedman and said she owed him 25 cents.

Mrs. Joe Smith said Smith ate supper at home the night of Nov. 28 and left. Was there next morning.

Smith himself was not present in court. He left Cerulean via Princeton last Tuesday.

A telegram was received yesterday from St. Louis saying Cora Reese, now Mrs. H. M. Brooks, had been located at 320 Swan ave., St. Louis, alive and well.

Judge Knight will continue the investigation. The body of the woman will be buried to-day. A post mortem was held yesterday by Drs. Stites and Woodard, who testified that there were no wounds but burns on her body and no evidences of any but normal conditions. The mystery remains unsolved.

BRIGHT'S DISEASE
CAUSES DEATH

George W. Allen, Merchant at Herndon, Passed Away This Week.

George W. Allen, a well known South Christian merchant, died Wednesday at his home at Herndon. He had been in declining health for several months, suffering from Bright's disease, and his demise was not unexpected. Mr. Allen was about fifty-five years old. He was a native of this county and for several years engaged in the mercantile business at Julien. Recently he sold out his business at that place and removed to Herndon, where he opened a store. He is survived by a wife and one daughter, Mrs. I. B. Cayce. The interment took place in Riverside cemetery, this city, Thursday.

2 STRONG PAPERS

Discussing Medieval History and The Science of Creation.

The Athenaeum held its December meeting at Hotel Latham Thursday night with 23 of the 30 members present, the largest attendance for many months. The program was unusually interesting with two excellent papers.

Judge W. T. Fowler wrote of "Thomas a Becket, the archbishop of Canterbury who was assassinated in 1171, and his paper was a most interesting discussion of the time of King Henry II and the struggle in English history for the separation of church and state."

Dr. Lewis Powell in a very able paper on "The Origin of Man" discussed the legends, myths and traditions of the various races, peoples and tribes as to the origin of man and concluded with the Biblical account.

Both papers were discussed by every member present, the meeting being one of surpassing interest.

Those present were: Frank Rives, H. W. Linton, L. H. Davis, P. B. Brooks, W. T. Fowler, F. M. Stites, Jas. A. McKenzie, T. W. Perkins, T. J. McReynolds, Austin Bell, Pettus White, Ira L. Smith, Ira D. Smith, Chas. M. Meacham, Lewis Powell, L. E. Foster, R. L. Woodard, T. C. Underwood, J. G. Gaither, J. W. Downer, John Stites and E. B. Weathers.

BUTLER-MOORE.

Eldon Butler and Miss Wilmoth Moore, of Oak Grove, were married at the Hermitage Hotel in Nashville Wednesday afternoon. Rev. E. L. Edens, pastor of Salem Baptist church, officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. Henry F. Moore. Mr. Butler is a well known young farmer.

All But 355.

Of the 2,898 counties of the United States there are 2,543 under prohibition laws, which goes to show that it is not a very long step to nation-wide prohibition.

BUCHAREST
EVACUATED

Germans Entered Without Resistance and Victors Presented With Flowers.

LULL ON OTHER FRONTS

Artillery Duels Are The Chiefs Feature of The Fighting.

London, Dec. 8.—There was no bombardment of Bucharest. The Germans found the city evacuated and no resistance was offered. Berlin says:

"The troops entering the town were received enthusiastically and decorated with flowers. Field Marshal von Mackensen drove in a motor car to the royal castle where he was greeted with bouquets of flowers."

On none of the fronts is a sanguinary battle in progress. For the most part the artillery wings of the belligerent armies are doing the greater portion of the work. Berlin reports that the Bulgarians have forced back the British in the Struma river lowlands near Serres, in Macedonia, and that the Bulgarians and Germans have compelled the evacuation by the Serbs of positions they had previously captured near Trnovo in the Cerna river sector.

West of Lutsk in Volhynia the Teutonic allies have captured Russian positions and successfully withstood counter attacks.

The Vienna war office reports that the Italians after a vigorous bombardment, launched two attacks on the Austro-Italian theater but that both of them were repulsed.

Artillery duels and exploits by raiding parties continue on the fronts in Belgium and France. The Germans and French are engaged in a spirited artillery battle in the region of Hill 304 northwest of Verdun where the Germans Wednesday gained some ground.

K. OF P. ELECTS
NEW OFFICERS

Frank Torian Is Highly Honored By The Lodge.

At the meeting Thursday night of Evergreen Lodge No. 38 Knights of Pythias, officers for the ensuing term were elected and arrangements were made for the annual pig supper which the lodge always gives at Christmas times, and which never fails to prove a very delightful occasion.

The following officers were elected to serve during the next term:

Chancellor Commander—Frank Torian.

Vice-Chancellor—James Wolfe.

Prelate—Riley B. Butler.

Master of Work—Herman Johnson.

Master of Exchequer—G. H. Campbell.

Master of Finance—C. W. Wright.

Keeper of Records and Seal—W. C. Wright.

Master at Arms—Ernest Snodgrass.

Inner Guard—J. L. McCord.

Outer Guard—Geo. W. Walker.

Trustee Long Term—D. C. Cary.

The honor conferred upon Mr. Torian in being again chosen Chancellor Commander is an unusual one, and comes as a reward for his long faithful services to the lodge. Mr. Torian served as Chancellor Commander of the lodge several years ago.

The committee appointed to make arrangements for the pig supper were Geo. W. Walker, J. W. Stowe and Clark Adams.

Chancellor Commander Herschel A. Long was elected Deputy Grand Chancellor, made vacant by the election of Mr. Torian to the Chancellor Commander's chair.

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SATURDAY, DEC. 9

Wyoming official gave Wilson 2618
majority.

In reply to a protest from Holland,
in regard to the slave raids on Bel-
gium, Germany has suggested that the
Dutch mind their own business. Pres-
ident Wilson's protest is still awaiting
an answer.

Bucharest, the capital of Rumania,
is in the hands of the forces of the
central powers. Exactly 100 days after
the declaration of war by Rumania
against them, the Teutonic allies are
in control of about 50,000 square miles
of Rumanian territory—virtually one-
half of the kingdom.

A bill designed to place a two years'
embargo on exports of news print
paper was introduced Wednesday by
Rep. Campbell, of Kansas, and refer-
red to the commerce committee. Pen-
alties ranging in fines from \$5,000 to
\$20,000 and imprisonment of not more
than ten years would be provided by
the measure.

Germany's policy of crushing the
little ones one at a time is good as far
as it goes, but it does not dispose
of the big ones. With Rumania elimi-
nated by an expensive campaign, Ger-
many is right where she started be-
fore Rumania entered, except that the
peace party at home is larger and
more outspoken. There will be no
peace until Germany is conquered.

More than 1,000,000 letters, each
containing a dime, for which the send-
ers anticipated receiving a silk petti-
coat, have been received at the Min-
neapolis postoffice during the past ten
weeks, and they are still coming at
the average of 100 a day despite the
fact that the fraudulent chain-
letter scheme has long since been ex-
posed.

David Lloyd-George has over-
thrown the Asquith cabinet and will
become British prime minister him-
self. The new government will be
coalition like the old one but probably
without the same measure of har-
monious support which attended the
formation of the first coalition govern-
ment, because its birth has created
additional factional differences. The
official announcement that Mr. Lloyd-
George had undertaken the task with
the co-operation of Mr. Bonar-Law
was a notification that the new gov-
ernment would be coalition. Any
party government would be impos-
sible because neither the unionists nor
the liberals have a majority in the
house of commons; either one must
attach the Irish nationalists or the
laborites to itself to command a ma-
jority.

The federal investigation of the
high cost of living began Wednesday
to take definite form with indications
that it would be one of the most com-
prehensive ever undertaken and would
extend to every section of the
United States. Not only is a sweep-
ing inquiry into the causes of the
soaring cost of foodstuffs contem-
plated, but the recent pinch in the
coal supply and its resultant price
advances also will be made, in all
probability, the subject of broad in-
vestigation. From President Wilson
down, officials began to cope in ear-
nest with the problem presented by
the situation. Prospects of those
who have conspired or formed con-
spiracies or pools to raise prices will
be the plan followed, as the Presi-
dent is opposed to all bargoes.

Helpless As a Baby.

Valley Heights Va.—Mrs. Jennie
B. Kirby, in a letter from this place,
says: "I was sick in bed for nine
months, with womanly troubles. I
was so weak and helpless, at times,
that I could not raise my head off
the pillow. I commenced to take
Cardui, and I saw it was helping me,
at once. Now I work all day. As
a tonic, for weak women, nothing
has been found, for fifty years, that
would take the place of Cardui. It
will surely do you good. Cardui is
prepared from vegetable ingredients,
and has a specific curative effect on
the womanly organs. Try a bottle
today. At your druggist's.—Adver-
tisement.

Marking Linen.

A quick and attractive way to mark
sheets, pillow cases, towels and other
flat work for the laundry, so that ugly
indelible ink markings will not be
made, is to place a small initial in
cross-stitch, embroidered with dull
blue, on the inside of the hem or in
the corner of unmarked towels. This
catches the eye of the laundry-marker
and prevents the unsightly inked let-
ter.

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Lard, compound, pound..... 17c
Cabbage, per pound..... 6c
Sweet potatoes..... 35c per peck
Irish potatoes..... 60c per peck
Lemons, per dozen..... 25c
Cheese, cream, per lb..... 35c
Cheese, Swiss, per lb..... 35c
Sugar, 100 pounds..... 88 25
Flour, 24-lb sack..... \$1.35
Cornmeal, bushel..... \$1.50
Oranges, per dozen..... 30c to 60c
Turnips, per peck..... 35c
Black Walnuts, per peck..... 25c
Mixed Nuts, per lb..... 30c
Grape Fruit..... 5 to 20c each
Hickory Nuts per peck..... 35c
Cooking Apples per peck..... 40c
Wine Sap Apples per peck 65c to 75c
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Manhood Alone Is What Counts

By J. C. HOLLAND

Labor, calling, profession, scholarship and arbitrary
distinctions of all sorts, are incidents and accidents of life and pass away.
It is only manhood that remains, and it is only by manhood that man
is to be measured. When this proposition shall be comprehended and ac-
cepted, it will become easy to see that there is no such thing as menial
work in this world. No work that God sets a man to do—no work
to which God has specially adapted a man's powers—can properly be
called either menial or mean. The man who blacks your boots and
blacks them well, and who engages in that variety of labor because he
can do it better than he can do anything else, may have, if he choose,
just as sound and true a manhood as you have, not only after he gets
through the work of his life, but now, with your boots in one hand and
your shilling in the other. There is very much dirtier work done in
politics and sometimes in the professions, than that of blacking boots;
work, too, which destroys manhood, or renders its acquisition impossible.

Perils of Nature

By DR. SAMUEL G. DIXON
Commissioner of Health of Pennsylvania

Our streams, once undefiled by man,
ran from the mountains to the sea in
all of nature's purity. They ran
through our valleys and meadows
in all their pristine beauty and
offered to all animals and plants
the purest of food. They were the
lifeblood of the land, and they
were the lifeblood of the people.
In that with which nature has en-
dowed much of our territory more
richly than many other countries, we
now find lurking poison so hidden that
in some cases it is to be seen only by
the aid of the microscope.

In the season when we travel
through the country to be happy and
lay up energy and strength for the
toil of the coming winter, the want
of intelligence and care makes us deaf
to the teaching of preventive medicine,
and we quench our thirst at the
stream we run across, regardless of
its purity, and often the sparkling
tumbler of water is only to be com-
pared with the draught of the deadly
hemlock. The parched lips have been
moistened and the thirst satisfied, but
the day of judgment too often comes,
bringing the development of typhoid
fever, which in years past we could
only compare with some of the plagues
that ravaged our ancient cities.

Those of us who collect, tabulate
and have ever before us the statistics
that show the suffering and sorrow
that still continue from typhoid fever,
beg you to awaken to that which
causes so much distress. By proper
care it can be avoided.

Never drink out of an unknown
surface stream. When traveling see
that pure water is carried along, as
well as food, otherwise the harvest
of sickness and death will follow.

Boys Weaker Than Girls.
In view of the number of men killed
by the war, the result of a study now
being made by an English physician
is rather pessimistic as regards the
future masculine supremacy of the
race. For a period covering nearly
five years his study indicates that the
mortality of boys under a year of age
has been from 123 to 125, as compared
with 100 for girl babies. Notwith-
standing the fact that at birth boys
have the advantage of four to five
ounces of weight over the average girl
baby, they have less resistant power
and are therefore less able to throw
off disease. The reports upon babies
born since the war are incomplete, but
they indicate that while the number of
boys born is considerably in excess
of the girls, the number who survive
their first year is so much less that
there is no hope of the men of the
next generation equaling the number
of women.

Her Stockings.

A tiny pocket on the side of a
pair of silk stockings provides a
place for carrying the handker-
chief while dancing. This pocket
is just a nice height above the
ankle and on the outer side of
the right stocking.

Opal sparkles ornament some
stockings; others are decorated
with beads or rhinestones, and
for every variety we have the
hand-painted stockings with
stalks of blooming plants form-
ing the "clocks" and gay but-
terflies fluttering over the instep.

Imagine the truly poetic effect
of three lace butterflies (with
wings upraised so that they flutter
bewitchingly) on the front of
her stockings, one above the other,
from instep to shoe-top
height! Of course, these are to
be worn only with dancing slip-
pers, or similar ones equally low.

Aeroplane Has Outstripped
Motor Car in the Rapidity
of Its Recent Development.

"The aeroplane in its developed
state would decide many of the prob-
lems we confront today, provided the
plane were fitted to living conditions
and commercial requirements," says a
writer. "The war has perfected the
aeroplane in this short time to a
greater degree than the motor car was
developed in any ten years of its
growth.

"Several years were taken to prove
to the public that the motor car would
run at all without a horse in waiting.
Years were taken to educate the pub-
lic to two cylinders as against the two.
Years more were spent in educating
the buying public and developing the
six, and now we are preaching eight
and twelve. It has taken years to
develop the light-weight idea in motor
cars. The public has held back the
development of the motor car.

"The aeroplane, in contrast, has
been developed by governments under
war conditions. Motors of today for
aeroplanes are of twice the horsepower
of those used a year ago, while
planes have been built up to 1,000
horsepower in five motor units. These
machines land at under 20 miles per
hour and travel well over a hundred
in the air."

A Few Smiles.

The Mystery Explained.

"Why is it?"
queried the stranger
within the gates,
"that so many of
the men in this vil-
lage seem to have
an ingrown grudge
against the minister?"
"Well, it's like
this, stranger," an-
swered the post-
master, "he's been
here for nearly fifty
years and has
performed the marriage ceremony for
most of them."

Struck the Wrong Place.
"Say," queried the tough-looking
hobo at the kitchen door, "where's de
guy wot lives here?"
"Oh," answered the farmer's wife,
who was evidently wiser than her
home-grown complexion would seem
to indicate, "he's back of the barn
burying a tramp the dog chewed up
this morning. Wait a second and I
will call him."

But by the time she reached the
door the unwashed hobo was headed
down the pike, beating it at an aero-
plane gait.

Deserves It.

"There goes a pious man."
"Everyone says so."
"A mansion is reserved for him in
the skies."
"I truly hope so. I overheard him
just now in a real estate office plead-
ing with his landlord to patch his
roof."

Facts in the Case.

Said He—Were they divorced be-
cause of a misunderstanding?
Said She—No; because they under-
stood each other too well, I believe.

Good Singing.

"This quartet is
splendid."
"Yes," answered
the low-browed
person. "It's great.
I thought once or
twice the bass was
going to be a few
seconds late with
that comedy stuff,
but he was right on
time."

Ambitious Plans.

"Are you prepared to do anything
for the heathen?" asked the mission-
ary worker.

"I should say we are!" answered the
capitalist, proudly. "We've sent some
of our best salesmen to China, and I
predict that in a short while hun-
dreds of well-to-do Chinese will be en-
joying rides in the best motor car
made in America."

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WOMEN ONLY

Corsets Fitted in Moving Pictures

SPECIAL MATINEE AT THE
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A treat is in store for the ladies of Hopkinsville. Through special
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ly interesting film story entitled "The Social Key"—produced by the
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GOSSARD CORSETS

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See how nine women with ordinary figures obtain charming,
graceful figure lines with correctly fitted Gossard Corsets. See how
Mrs. Allen and her three daughters were cruelly snubbed and then
how their triumphant entrance into society was made possible
through the kind offices of Mrs. Stuyvesant.

Mothers are urged to bring their daughters, as this picture is
equally delightful to young girls.

Complimentary passes are being issued by us and you can obtain
as many as you like for your friends by calling at our 'Corset De-
partment. The demand for seats will be great and even though we
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WEAR
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For Your Fruit Cake

We have the best RAISINS, CURRANTS, CITRON,
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FRUITS and VEGETABLES.

ORANGES, from 20c up; GRAPE FRUIT, APPLES,
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We have a Nice Line of QUEENSWARE. A Lot
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For You From the **TEN GOOD STORES** Who Give

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It's awaiting your selection at the **PREMIUM STORE PARLORS, 9th STREET.** It's one of thousands of princely gifts that trading at these superior places bring to you. Though called premiums the excellent and well assorted line of merchandise given for **PREMIUM STORE TICKETS** is exactly what you would select were you making purchase for your home; only standard lines, such as the finest Rogers "1847" SILVERWARE, the most expensive CUT GLASS, the best RUGS, DRAPERY, BRIC-A-BRAC, LAMPS, ELECTROLIERS, NOVELTIES, CHINA, KITCHEN UTENSILS---everything in fact that is useful; ornamental and attractive can be had **FREE WITHOUT ONE CENT OF COST** for the trading tickets that are given you by the following firms for **CASH ONLY**:

Wall & McGowan Clothing and Shoes	Miss Fannie Rogers Millinery	Lawson Faxon Drugs.	J. L. Freidman Meat Market.
George's Steam Bakery Bread.	W. T. Cooper & Co. Groceries.	T. L. Metcalfe Flowers.	Fred Jackson Coal.
	Kitchen & Moore Books and Stationery.	Bassett & Co. Dry Goods.	

Every one of the above firms give exactly the same tickets. If by only chance or neglect tickets should fail to be given, **ASK FOR THEM.** You are as much entitled to them as you are your change, so if you are looking to your interest trade **ONLY WHERE PREMIUM STORE TICKETS ARE GIVEN.** It will astonish you how quickly your home begins to shine with beautiful things at absolutely **NO COST.** Only one thing is necessary and that is that you want these things enough to go after the tickets.

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PREMIUM STORE TICKETS can be secured on **FURNITURE, HARDWARE, JEWELRY, MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS** BEFORE BUYING either Furniture, Hardware, Jewelry or Musical Instruments, **COME TO the PREMIUM STORE PARLOR** and be sent to the best place to do your trading and have fully explained how to get **PREMIUM STORE TICKETS** with your purchase. **DON'T FAIL** to do this and it will greatly help you to secure a **HANDSOME PRESENT WITHOUT ONE CENT COST.**

**THE BURNING QUESTION OF THE HOUR IS SOLVED BY
A BUNCH OF PREMIUM STORE TICKETS AT THE PREMIUM STORE**

Make your purchases return a handsome dividend. They are given you as a discount **FOR YOUR CASH---** returned to you in this handsome and effective way.

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Put Your Tobacco, Where All the Buyers Have a Chance at It.

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It is the Logical Way to Sell to Get the Highest Prices.
THEY ALL WANT IT. YOU WILL GET MORE MONEY.

CHILDREN AS SEAL SELLERS

Medal For Successful Salesmen of Holiday Stickers.



Children are live wire salesmen of Red Cross Christmas Seals. Medals of merit await those who excel in this year's sale. Last year Mary Kendall, of Grand Rapids, Mich., beat all records with a sale of 24,250 seals. But there were other good sellers: For example, there was Ona Wendt, a fourteen-year-old girl, who managed an entire sale in six towns in Lake county, Oregon. Erin Pratt acted as mascot of the Seal sale at New Orleans and sold several thousand herself. Julius Peters, aged nine, of Lake

City, Iowa, sold one-fourth of the Seals sold in his town, 552 in all. And there were hosts of boys and girls who helped by selling hundreds of thousands.

Every boy or girl who sells ten Seals this year will get a handsome button and a certificate of enrollment in the National Modern Health Crusaders. For one hundred Seals, he will get a silver pin and for 500 a gold one.

Methodist Church.

Rev. Lewis Powell, D. D. Pastor.
Sunday School at 9:30 a. m.—J. H. Cate, Superintendent.
Men's Bible Class, Ira L. Smith, Teacher.
Woman's Bible Class—Mrs. Lizzie Clark, Teacher.
Primary Department—Miss Mary Walker, Supt.
Intermediate Classes for all grades and ages.
Epworth League at 6 p. m. John C. Lawson, president.
Dr. Powell will preach at 10:45 a. m., on "The Bible Way of Salvation, according to St. Paul."
At 7 p. m., on "Is God Unjust to Punish Sinners and Unbelievers?"
Dr. Powell will submit a proposition to the Sunday school and congregation on the best way to observe Christmas this year. Everybody come to church Sunday. Don't fail.

STOCK BARN IS BURNED

Large Building Near Cerulean Reduced to Ashes Early Yesterday Morning.

A large stock barn belonging to Alex. Wallace, near Cerulean, was destroyed by fire of unknown origin at an early hour yesterday morning. The flames were discovered in time to remove the live stock from the building before it fell in. The loss is several hundred dollars. It was not learned if Mr. Wallace had any insurance.

When you want fire, tornado, life or bond insurance in the Oldest Strongest Companies see H. D. WALLACE, office up stairs, over Anderson-Fowler Drug Store, Corner Ninth and Main.



Blue and Green Heads.

Chicago, Dec. 8.—Five hours' argument as to whether mallard ducks have blue or green heads resulted in an opinion being handed down in an Evanston justice court that they have both, "depending upon the way you look at them and the way the light strikes them."

George Middlestaedt, asserting that his ducks had green heads, brought replevin action against Adolph Rosenkrantz, demanding three ducks. Rosenkrantz was said to have mallard ducks.

U. D. C.

The Christian County Chapter, U. D. C., will meet on Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. A full attendance is requested.

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Notice To Our Friends!

All wide awake farmers undoubtedly are aware of the unprecedented slump in turkey prices in all of the large markets during the past Thanksgiving week. The extreme decline in the turkeys forced an extra large quantity of turkeys to be placed in the freezers, and these turkeys must go in direct competition with fresh killed turkeys for the Christmas Holidays. This means that fresh killed turkeys will sell at comparatively low prices.

It has always been our policy to pay the farmers the very highest prices possible for their poultry. As we aim to continue this policy, we have decided to give our farmer friends the benefit of this extraordinary sale which we made last month for turkeys shipped up to and including Dec. 13th. This sale was made at an extremely high price which would now be impossible to duplicate. At the price we offer we know that we will soon have enough turkeys to fill this contract. We therefore, urge you to bring your turkeys early so as to take advantage of this high price.

Saturday, Dec. 9th and Monday, Dec. 10th we will pay 20c per pound for turkeys delivered at our plant.

It is an absolute Certainty That We Must and Will Pay Lower Prices after this contract is Filled.

The Fox Bros. Company

INCORPORATED

SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY XMAS SALE OF



-Ladies' Suits-

\$9.99 CHOICE one lot of small size Ladies' Suits, worth \$12.50.

\$12.50 CHOICE of one lot of Ladies' Suits, worth \$15.00 to \$17.50. Variety of Styles and colors in all sizes.

\$17.50 CHOICE of one lot of Ladies' Suits, plain and fur trimmed, in Blue, Green, Brown, Burgundy and Black. Worth \$20.00 to \$25.00.

Ladies' Skirts

\$1.35 to \$3.95 One big lot of Ladies' Skirts, all wool, new models, all sizes, in Blue, Black and Grey. Exceptional Bargains for the money.

Outing Gowns

50 Cents FOR LADIES' OUTING GOWNS, made of good quality of outing, Full width, all sizes, Pink and Blue Stripes.

Children's Dresses

59 Cents One big assortment of Children's Gingham Dresses, made of best quality of Gingham, in neat attractive styles, ages 2 to 8 years.

Anderson's
"SATISFACTION OR YOUR MONEY BACK"

"Something Just as Good."
During the prevalence of high prices for drugs many citizens have taken to fresh air, sunshine and good foods, with excellent results.—Chicago News.

When the Case is Urgent.
Arbitration is usually most needed when somebody declares that there is nothing to arbitrate.—Washington Star.

They Help.
Men with a knack of getting rich are always able to hire plenty of financial experts at comparatively low salaries to help with the details.

The R. M. Anderson Stock of Groceries

To Be Sold at Wholesale Cost.

After Serving the public for 43 years with the very best in the Grocery Line I have concluded to sell out entirely and retire from business. The entire stock, including SHOW CASES, SCALES, DESK, IRON SAFE, COFFEE GRINDER, TINWARE, GLASSWARE, LAMPS and SUNDRIES, HORSE and DELIVERY WAGON, OIL PUMP and TANK, OIL CANS, TABLE and CHAIRS, 8 YEAR OLD VINEGAR and CASH REGISTER. Absolutely nothing reserved.

SALE WILL BEGIN THURSDAY, DECEMBER 14TH

and will continue until everything is sold. This stock was purchased before the rise in prices and everything will be sold at the price I paid for them. I paid much less than the present wholesale prices now. Stock consists of big line CAN GOODS, SUGAR, COFFEE, LARD, MOLASSES, CANDIES, N. Y. CREAM CHEESE, ETC.

This is your opportunity to stock your larder for the winter at a big saving. Sporting goods at 50 cents on the dollar, also Disk Reeds at less than 50 per cent.

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No. 15 6th street

Hopkinsville, Ky.

Villa's Reign of Terror.

Chihuahua, Mex., is now being policed by troops of the de facto government. Houses are being searched for looted goods. Villa's administration was a reign of terror. Municipal

President Holguin and eight prominent citizens were executed. About forty Chinamen were slain and other foreigners were killed or injured.

The white poplar has been used as a natural lightning rod.

GIRL REPORTER FOUND GUILTY

Miss Colby Must Serve Penitentiary Term For Slaying Montana Politician.

Thompson Falls, Mont., Dec. 8.—Miss Edith Colby, a newspaper reporter, was found guilty of murder in the second degree here today for shooting and killing A. C. Thomas, a politician. The penalty is ten to twelve years in the penitentiary.

Miss Colby, 44 years old, shot Thomas, Sept. 28, last, after Thomas had passed her in the street without heeding her demand that he apologize for an alleged insult the day before.

You can get genuine Cut Glass for the price of imitation at Hardwick's.

Boy Commits Suicide.

Maysville, Ky., Dec. 8.—John Martin, 15 years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Martin, who reside between here and Vanceburg, committed suicide at home by shooting himself with a shotgun.

Come to us for Cut Glass, Hardwick

WANTED—Good farm mare, city broke. J. M. TICHENOR.

PURELY PERSONAL

Mrs. R. L. Offutt, after spending several months with her mother, Mrs. W. T. Wadlington, at Gracey, Ky., has returned and joined Mr. Offutt at their apartments at the Weissinger-Gaulbert.—Courier-Journal.

T. J. Baugh attended a meeting of electricians held in Louisville this week.

Max J. Lowenthal is able to be out again, after an operation at the Jennie Stuart Memorial Hospital.

Miss Grace Sallee is visiting in Princeton.

Mrs. Walter Radford, of Hopkinsville, arrived the first of the week to visit her cousin, Mrs. Julian Day and Mr. Day, at their apartment in the Owens-Hill.—Louisville Herald.

Rev. and Mrs. J. S. Norris and little daughter, Annie Wilder, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Waller.

Clarksville City Election.

On Monday morning, January 1, 1917, a new Board of Aldermen, composed principally of young men, will take over the reins of government of the city of Clarksville. Dr. T. H. Marable was elected mayor over D. B. Wood by 49 votes. The new aldermen are Thomas Edwards, Levie Meeks, L. B. Askew, Jr., Jno. S. Daniel, W. E. Beach, H. C. Merritt, Homer Morrow, Jno. P. Haulahan, W. I. Haynes and E. E. Laurent.

New Superintendent.

At a meeting of the trustees of the Kentucky Baptist Children's Home yesterday, the annual expense of the home was reduced \$1,200 and the Rev. J. M. Vallandigham was elected superintendent to succeed Dr. A. B. Gardner, who resigned.

In Cuba, it is said, tobacco is planted; grown and gathered in ninety days.

"THE MINISTERS' HONEYMOON."

An entertainment, "The Ministers' Honeymoon," will be given at the Methodist church at Pee Dee by the Ladies' Aid Society of the church Tuesday night, December 12.

Largest line of Parisian Ivory in Western Kentucky at Hardwick's.

French Ivory & Italian Onyx

The public will remember the fine line of *White Ivory* we had last Xmas. and the Beautiful *Enameled Hand Engraved* work we put on same *Free of Charge*. Well, this year we have a larger variety of the above mentioned goods in addition to the new *Italian Onyx* dresser sets &c. We invite your inspection before buying. The pleasure will be mutual.

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Aluminum Ware, Butcher Knives, Cooking Utensils, Majestic Ranges, Heating Stoves, China, Glass Ware

In fact we have the most complete and up-to-date line of Stoves and China, Cooking Utensils, Household Equipment, to be found in the City and OUR PRICES ARE RIGHT.

Visit our Stove and China Store and you are certain to find just what you are looking for. We want your business and guarantee prompt delivery of all goods purchased.

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AT THE CHURCHES.

Strangers in the city and the public are cordially invited to all services at the following churches:

Cumberland Presbyterian Church.
J. B. Eshman, Pastor.
Sunday School at 9:30.
Preaching at 11 a. m.
Christian Endeavor 6:30.
Preaching at 7:30 p. m.

First Presbyterian Church—
Sunday School—9:30 a. m.
Morning Service 11:00 a. m.
Evening Service 7:30.
Christian Endeavor—7:00 p. m.
Weekly Prayer Meeting Wednesday—7:30 p. m.

First Baptist Church—Rev. C. M. Thompson, Pastor. Services as usual.

Sunday School—9:30 a. m.
Morning Service—11:00 a. m.
Evening Service—7:30 p. m.

Second Baptist Church—Rev. W. R. Goodman, Pastor.
Sunday School—9:30 a. m.
Preaching—11 a. m.
Preaching—7:30 p. m.
B. Y. P. U. 6:30 P. M.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday night—7:30 p. m.

Westminster Presbyterian Church
Sunday School—9:30 a. m.
Men's Bible Class—10:00 a. m.
Morning Service—11:45 a. m.
Evening Services 7:30 p. m.
Grace Church—Rev. Geo. C. Abbott, Rector.
Morning prayer and sermon at 6:45.
Sunday School at 9:30 a. m.

THRESHER FOR SALE

Will sell 13-horse Nickols & Shep herd engine and a practically new separator 28x40, at a bargain, if taken at once. Call Edgerton 18-5.

H. W. LYLE, Oak Grove, Ky

Goddess Lighted Up.

President Wilson gave the wireless flash which flooded the Statue of Liberty with light at 6 o'clock last night. The great guns of a division of the Atlantic fleet boomed a salute as the statue flashed into view, and Ruth Law, in a lighted airplane, added a spectacular touch to the ceremonies.

DO YOU KNOW

It is dangerous to put anything into the mouth except food and drink?

Sanitary instruction is even more important than sanitary legislation?

The U. S. Public Health Service issues free bulletins on tuberculosis?

The continued liberal use of alcoholic beverages lowers efficiency and menaces longevity?

Moderate exercise in the open air prolongs life?

"Mouth breathing" makes children stupid?

Fish cannot live in foul water nor man in foul air?

Smallpox is wholly preventable?

For Whooping Cough.

The painful paroxysms which mark this disease can often be relieved by breathing the fumes of turpentine and carbolic acid.

Ouch!

Men of all races speak a common language when they bump their shins on a chair in the dark.

L. & N.

Time Card

Effective Aug. 13, 1916.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

No. 93—C. & N. O. Lim 12:21 a. m.
No. 51—St. L. Express 5:29 p. m.

No. 95—Dixie Flyer 9:35 a. m.

No. 55—Hopkinsville Ac. 7:00 a. m.

No. 53—St. L. Fast Mail 5:36 a. m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

No. 92—C. & St. L. Lim. 5:29 a. m.

No. 52—St. Louis Express 9:55 a. m.

No. 94—Dixie Flyer 7:02 p. m.

No. 56—Hopkinsville Ac. 8:55 p. m.

No. 54—St. L. Fast Mail 10:24 p. m.

No. 51 connects at Guthrie for Memphis and points as far south as Erin, and for Louisville, Cincinnati and the East.

Nos. 53 and 55 make direct connection at Guthrie for Louisville, Cincinnati and all points north and east thereof.

No. 93 carries through sleepers to Atlanta, Macon, Jacksonville, St. Augustine, and Tampa, Fla. Also Pullman sleepers to New Orleans. Connect at Guthrie for points East and West. No. 93 will not carry local passengers for points north of Nashville, Tenn.

W. N. CHANDLER, Ticket Agent

15 LIVES FOOTBALL'S TOLL.

Chicago, Dec. 3.—Football claimed fifteen lives during the 1916 season, which closed with Thanksgiving games, according to figures compiled by the Associated Press to-day. Last year the total was sixteen and in 1914 there were fifteen deaths.

College officials identified with the sport declare that not a single death occurred in any game in which the players were known to be physically as well as mentally trained for the severe test. Not a single life was lost, they point out in a game where a physician's examination was demanded before the contestant was permitted to go on the gridiron.

In most cases those who lost their lives were members of high school, semi-professional and "prairie" elevens. Only one of the victims was a college player.

Among the dead were:

William A. Jones, Munhall, Pa., 22 years.

Edwin Young, Pittsburg, 12 years old.

Harry Wickland, Chicago, 9 years old.

Hard B. Watson, Meadville, Pa. 19 years old.

Elmer L. Carlquist, Chicago, 17 years old.

Wallace Rowland, Weirton, W. Va., 15 years old.

Boggs Campbell, Pittsburg, 22 years old.

Francis B. Moriarty, Detroit, Mich., 14 years old.

John A. Porter, Athens, O., 18 years old.

Hiram Cole, Fayette, Mo., 19 years old.

Fred Wilson, Minneapolis, 26 years old.

Ephraim Angell, El Centro, Cal., 20 years old.

Wilber Gettys, Ansley, Neb., 19 years old.

Palmer Bosworth, Waycross, Ga., 14 years old.

Cyril Pritchard, Elgin, Ill., 19 years old.

Two of the players suffered broken necks, but a majority died from internal injuries.

Coaches assert that practically every danger in the sport has been eliminated by the Rules Committee, and, no matter what rules are adopted, the game will continue to be rough, and only those in the best of physical condition should be permitted to play.

It is doubtful, they say, if any more changes will be made to lessen risks, as the Rules Committee believes it has done all in its power to prevent accidents.

Signs of Christmas.

Gettin' on to Christmas,
An' the kids are bein' good,
Jes' as tho the little rascals
All my bluffin' understood,
An' altho I know exactly

Why they're climbin' on my knee,
I confess that they are kissin'

All they're wantin' out of me.
Now, they're waitin' on their mother

Like they never did before,
An' they're clarin' up the table

An' they're sweepin' up the floor,
An' altho she knows exactly

Why these gracious fits occur,
She confesses they are smilin'

All they're after out of her.
Gettin' on to Christmas

With its happiness an' fuss,
An' the fun of foolin' children

Is to have 'em foolin' us.
They are on their best behavior

They're as good as they can be,
An' it's great to have 'em squeezin'

All they're wantin' out of me.
—Detroit Free Press.

Revival at Pineville

A revival meeting which had been in progress for three weeks in the Baptist church of Pineville, closed Monday with seventy-one professions of faith, sixty-one uniting with the church of which Rev. J. A. McCord, formerly of this county, is pastor. On the last night of the meeting the members subscribed \$13,650.00 toward a new church building. County Judge T. J. Asher, who is a millionaire, his wife, three doctors, one lawyer and several school teachers were among the converts. The Judge's first gift after becoming a christian was \$5,000 for a new church.

Use Wooden Bowl.

When washing silver use a wooden tub or bowl if possible. There will then be less danger of the silver getting scratched.

To Clean Matting.

For soiled matting dissolve some oxalic acid in water and apply with a scrubbing brush. Wash afterwards with clean water.

C.R. Clark & Co.'s Big Xmas Toy Store

Is now open for inspection.

The up stairs room is filled to overflowing with Xmas Goods for Old and Young.

Come, Bring The Children.

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In connection with our Loose Floor we have competent men to strip your tobacco at a reasonable cost.

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No missing connections—entire train runs through, Memphis to Texas.
Leave Memphis 9:30 p. m. Arrive Dallas 11:45 a. m. next morning.
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Another through train to Texas via Cotton
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Nice line of New Fresh Nuts—Almonds, Brazil Nuts, Filberts, English Walnuts, Pecans, etc. Cocoanuts and a complete line of FRUITS—ORANGES, GRAPE FRUIT, IMPORTED GRAPES, FIGS, DATES and APPLES.

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Full line of staple and fancy groceries, oysters and celery

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DAIRY FACTS

VARIATIONS IN CREAM TESTS

One of Most Common Causes Is Difference in Amount of Water Used for Flushing.

There are many causes for the variations sometimes found in cream tests. Frequently would be a better word to use than sometimes in connection with this subject, for variations in the tests may always be looked for. A few of the causes are here given.

If the milk of a herd of cows whose average test is 4 per cent is separated so that the cream tests 40 per cent and the milk suddenly drops to 3.5 per cent of fat, as will often occur, the cream will then test only 35 per cent. The amount of fat lost in the skim milk is not affected to any appreciable extent by the richness of the milk separated.

One of the most common causes of variation in the test of cream from the farm separator is a variation in the amount of water or skim milk used for flushing out the cream at the end of the run. It is apparent that especially where a small quantity of cream is separated, a marked difference in the richness of the cream may be made by a change in the amount of water or skim milk added. It is an easy matter to vary a pint or more in the water or skim milk used and this alone may easily change the per cent of fat in the cream from 2 to 5 per cent. The per cent of fat in the cream may be readily changed, as is well known, by adjusting the cream screw.

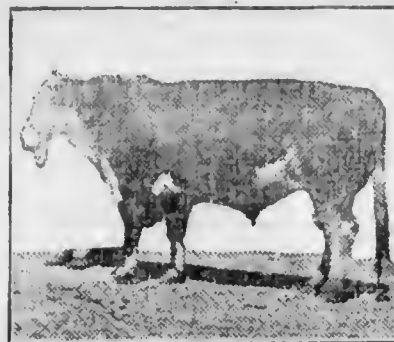
The cream screw, however, is not changed very frequently and it is not the common cause of the variations in the test which constantly occur and which causes so much friction between the buyer and seller of cream.

SCRUB SIRE NOT PROFITABLE

Farmers Advised by Ohio Expert Not to Sell Head of Herd Until Daughters Been Tested.

Can a bull be worth nearly \$3,000 in one year in a dairy herd? The animal may be worth this much or even more, according to figures given by Prof. C. C. Hayden of the Ohio experiment station.

He shows that in the station dairy herd one bull produced daughters averaging 153 pounds more butterfat annually than their dams. If ten daughters produced milk for six years, the total production of this sire would be



Purebred Bull.

worth \$2,750 more than that of a bull that produced no increase, if butterfat is worth 30 cents a pound.

Since the value of the bull can be determined only by the milk and butter yields of his daughters, farmers are advised not to sell the dairy sire until his daughters have been tested. Buyers should not discriminate against an old bull if he has some high-producing daughters, for his value cannot be determined until he is at least four years old.

HERD SUBORDINATE TO FARM

Farmer Makes Big Mistake If He Does Not Regard Cows as Assistants or Side Issue.

(By DR. H. B. FAYILL.)
The man who doesn't regard his herd of dairy cows, be they grade or purebred breeding cattle, as the handmaidens of the farm, as the assistants, as the side issues of the farm, and which is only a means of building the farm up to its highest possibilities, ought to fail, and he probably will.

For, after all, it is the farm that counts, and not the herd that is on it. It is the farm that makes the farmer, and not the herd. In the long run, take the country through, there will be no great breeders except those that are great farmers, because the herd is subordinate to the farm and is used for the purpose of magnifying the farm.

RICHNESS OF A COW'S MILK

Mistake to Expect That It Can Be Influenced by Character of Feed Given to Animal.

It seems reasonable to expect that the richness of milk could be influenced by the character of the feed given to the animals. However, it has been thoroughly proved that for all practical purposes it is impossible. The richness of the cow's milk depends upon inheritance and can no more be changed permanently by the feed than can the color of her hair. If the milk cannot be changed in richness by the feed it is clearly impossible for cream to be influenced in this way.

Stopped Those Pains.

Copper Hill, Va.—Mrs. Ida Conner, of this place, says: "For years, I had a pain in my right side, and was very sick with womanly troubles. I tried different doctors but could get no relief. I had given up all hope of ever getting well. I took Cardui, and it relieved the pain in my side, and now I feel like a new person. It is a wonderful medicine." Many women are completely worn-out and discouraged on account of some womanly trouble. Are you? Take Cardui, the woman's tonic. Its record shows that it will help you. Why wait? Try it today. Ask your druggist about it.—Advertiser.

Successful Revivals

Utica, Ky., Dec. 6.—A revival meeting began at the Baptist church here Nov. 20, and ran on 11 days. The pastor, Rev. L. W. Clark, was assisted in the meeting by Dr. M. E. Staley, of Madisonville, Ky. There have been 38 additions to the church.

Cloverport, Ky., Dec. 6.—The meeting conducted at the Baptist church by Rev. A. N. Couch, pastor, and Elder S. J. Cannon, of Louisville, closed last night. In the afternoon the pastor baptized 59 in the Ohio river, which was witnessed by at least 1,000 people. There have been 95 additions to the church in the last 15 days.

Bottle to Be Taken Apart.

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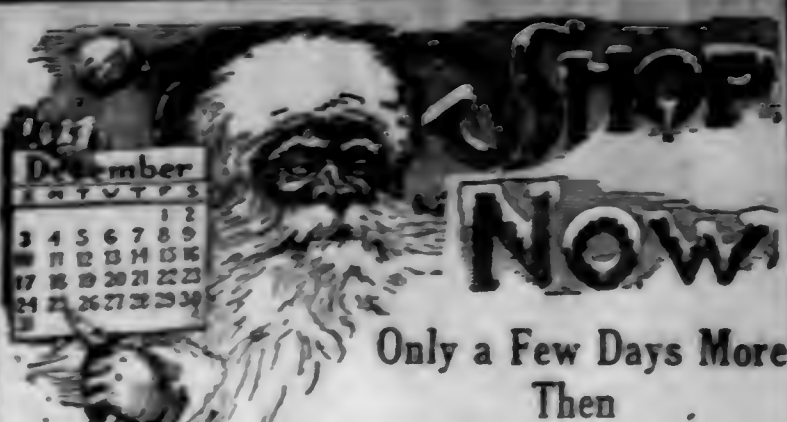
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RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

At a meeting of Ned Meriwether Camp, No. 241, U. C. V., held on the 19th day of Oct. 1916, a committee composed of comrades J. P. Braden and Hunter Wood, Sr., presented the following resolutions, which were unanimously adopted:

1st. That in the death of our comrade, Jacob Morton Dennis, Ned Meriwether Camp has lost a most estimable and gallant comrade, the community an honorable and useful member; the State a high toned, active and valuable citizen, and the country a brave and patriotic soldier.

2nd. That we, the fellow comrades of our deceased brother, hereby express our deep sympathy to his bereaved family, and express to them the high estimation in which comrade Jacob Morton Dennis was held by virtue of his fidelity, devotion and merits as a soldier, and an officer in the service of his country, as well as

on account of his high character as a citizen and a christian gentleman.

3rd. That it be recorded that Jacob Morton Dennis was born on the 16th day of June, 1834, in Charlotte county, Virginia, and enlisted in the Confederate army April 1861, as assistant surgeon of the 23rd Regiment, afterwards served in Stonewall Jackson's Division in the army of Northern Virginia, and was a resident of Christian county, Kentucky, from 1867 until the time of his death.

4th. That these resolutions be spread on the minute book of the Camp, and a copy be sent to the family of our deceased comrade and to the local papers for publication.

C. F. JARRETT,
Commander.
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Motorist, Who Wear Out the Roads May Pay To Build Them.

Washington, Dec. 8.—New Jersey's automobile license laws, which raise revenue for road maintenance by taxing motor cars, were sustained as constitutional here by the Supreme Court. They were attacked by Frank J. Kane, of New York, who appealed from his conviction of violation.

State authorities and motorists generally were affected in the suit challenging constitutionality of New Jersey motor vehicle license laws of 1915. It presented for the first time questions of whether a State has authority to raise revenues for maintaining State roads by imposing automobile license taxes, and whether automobile pleasure touring is interstate "commerce." Both Maryland and New Jersey statutes impose a graduated automobile license tax, upon both residents and non-residents based upon horse power.

POOLED CROP IS SOLD

Warren and Butler Counties
Dispose of Tobacco to
Tuck & Co.

Bowling Green, Ky., Dec. 8.—The pooled tobacco crop of the Society of Equity in both Warren and Butler counties has been sold to G. O. Tuck & Co., of Louisville. The deal carries about 2,000,000 pounds of dark tobacco. The Equity people say the average price of \$10 per hundred was received, and that is the highest price paid for tobacco since the Civil war. The delivery of the tobacco will begin on Monday, Dec. 11, at Bowling Green, Smith's Grove, Clark's Landing and Rochester, Butler county.

Used a Pistol.

Lawrenceburg, Ky., Dec. 8.—Ben Cunningham, 22, committed suicide at the home of his mother in Mercer county, this morning. Charley Woods, who was inside the tobacco barn looking at a crop of tobacco hearing a shot on the outside rushed out to find that Cunningham had shot himself through the head with a pistol, death resulting instantly.

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EGG BOYCOTT IS ON

In Many of the Up-State Cities of Empire State.

New York, Dec. 8.—The egg boycott movement was launched in over a score of up-State cities today in response to proclamations issued by their respective Mayors. The boycott was declared to be virtually

State-wide, and, according to a telegram from W. P. Capes, secretary of the New York State Conference of Mayors, more cities will follow the example of the twenty-four cities in which a boycott is already in effect.

Storage eggs in this city yesterday dropped another cent a dozen under the attack of housewives, and additional reductions in the near future

are anticipated. Some dealers offered cold storage eggs at 35 cents a dozen at retail, which was the price officials announced as their goal when the boycott was first instituted.

Out of The City.

I will be absent from the city Dec. 11, 12 and 13, attending a national meeting of Eye Specialists in Memphis, Tenn.

DR. M. W. ROZZELL